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In re Application of:

GUILLERMO R. CHACON

Serial No.: 08/941,832

Filed: October 1, 1997

For: ELECTRONIC KANBAN WORKSHEET FOR THE )

DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION OF VIRTUAL)

OR ELECTRONIC KANBAN SYSTEM

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INDEP. CLAIMS	8	MINUS	12	=0	x \$39 \$78	0
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SECOND AFTER-FINAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the final Official Action mailed on December 3, 1999 (Paper No. 11) and further to the unentered after-final amendment filed February 18, 2000 and the Advisory Action of March 9, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows: